

Remarks

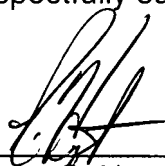
Claims 30, 33-34, 68-69, 71-72, and 76 have been allowed.

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) application is being submitted in an abundance of caution to have the allowed claims considered in light of additional art. Such references are cited in the accompanying Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement presented herewith.

Claims 30, 33-34, 68-69, 71-72, and 76 are believed to be in condition for allowance. If the Examiner's next anticipated action is to be anything other than a Notice of Allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at (509) 624-4276 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (PST).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 5/21/07

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